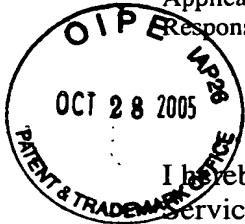


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application are the following:

1. Missing Parts Transmittal Form;
2. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements;
4. One (1) executed Declaration and Power of Attorney by the inventor Russell L. Couturier; and
5. Two (2) return receipt postcards.

The surcharge of \$130.00 for the late submission of the declaration, as well as any deficiencies or credits, are authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1078.

In accordance with Section 714.01 of the MPEP, the following information is presented in the event that a call may be deemed desirable by the Examiner:

JACOB N. ERLICH (617) 854-4000.

Respectfully submitted,
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/13/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/13/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 04/13/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 04/13/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/13/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 04/13/2005



The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the international application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - First inventor Mr. Russell L Couturier signature is missing
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR SUBMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS

Sir:

This is in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(f) mailed on September 20, 2005. Enclosed is a copy of said Notice and the following documents and fees to complete the filing requirements of the above-identified application.

☒ Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. The above-identified application is the same application which the inventor executed by signing the enclosed declaration.

☐ Statutory basic filing fee:

☐ Utility \$1000.00

☐ Design \$430.00

☐ Additional claim fees of \$

☒ Missing Parts Surcharge \$130.00

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for reply to Notice of Missing Parts is attached.

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Please charge to Deposit Account **50-1078** the sum of \$130.00. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account **50-1078** pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25.

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